June 3, 2003

FROM: MICHAEL E. HAYS, Director

Land Use Services Department/Advance Planning Division

SUBJECT: SCHEDULE PUBLIC HEARING TO CONSIDER A GENERAL PLAN

AMENDMENT TO CHANGE THE DESIGNATION OF FOOTHILL BOULEVARD

IN THE SPHERE OF INFLUENCE OF THE CITY OF FONTANA

RECOMMENDATION:

 SCHEDULE a public hearing on June 17, 2003 to consider a General Plan Transportation/Circulation Map Amendment to change the designation of Foothill Boulevard from a Major Divided Highway to a Major Arterial Highway extending between East Avenue and Citrus Avenue, and a proposed Negative Declaration;

2) **DIRECT** the Clerk of the Board to publish a legal Notice of Hearing one time in a publication of general circulation at least 10 days prior to hearing date.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The Land Use Services Department requests that the Board of Supervisors schedule an item for a public hearing on June 17, 2003. The item will consider a proposed amendment of the General Plan. The project is described as follows:

Applicant: Land Use Services Department

Proposal: General Plan Transportation/Circulation Map Amendment to change the

designation of Foothill Boulevard from a Major Divided Highway to a Major Arterial

Highway extending between East Avenue and Citrus Avenue.

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Community: Fontana/Second Supervisorial District

Location: Foothill Boulevard between East Avenue and Citrus Avenue, Fontana Area

In accordance with Government Code Sections 65090 and 65091, and County Development Code Section 83.010330, public notice of this hearing is to be given once at least 10 days prior to the hearing in at least one newspaper of general circulation in the respective community of the proposal. For this item, staff has determined this notice shall be published in the following newspapers: The San Bernardino County Sun, and the Inland Valley Daily Bulletin.

Record of Action of the Board of Supervisors

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REVIEW BY OTHERS: This item has been reviewed by Deputy County Counsel Robin Cochran on May 16, 2003, and by the County Administrative Office, Patricia M. Cole, Administrative Analyst III on May 27, 2003. The Planning Commission hearing was conducted on May 8, 2003.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: There are no financial impacts associated with the scheduling of this item.

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT(S): 2nd

PRESENTER: Randy Scott, Division Chief – Advance Planning Division, 387-4147.